

MARCH 31, 2004 MEETING
374 HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
MINUTES

Present

Commissioners

Steven Afriat, President
Renee Campbell, Vice President
Diane Wood

Absent

James Barger, Secretary
Sylvia Robledo

County Representatives

Jonathan Geller, County Counsel
Allison Morse, County Counsel

Commission Staff

B. Eugene Romig
Steve Erickson

Court Reporter

Lisa Gutierrez

CALL TO ORDER

President Afriat called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, all applicants and witnesses were sworn prior to the hearing.

President Afriat indicated County Counsel had advised him that the Commission's action to conduct a public hearing on adult business licenses was inconsistent with the Commission's authority to hold hearings.

ACTION TAKEN: The hearing on adult business licenses scheduled for next week was taken off calendar.

Motion: Vice-President Campbell, seconded by President Afriat

Vote: Unanimously carried

MINUTES: The Commission trailed the matter until the next meeting.

APPLICATION FOR ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE

The Sunset Room
2029 S. Hacienda Blvd.
Hacienda Heights Fourth District

Applicant Laurie Trejo described the entertainment to be conducted at the restaurant and noted that the hours of operation were from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. She further indicated that there was no dressing room and the stage was 18 inches above the ground. Steve Jimenez, Treasurer-Tax, reported that the application is for a change of ownership and that there were no complaints against the business on record.

ACTION TAKEN: The Commission granted the above license and waived the dressing room requirement.

Motion: Commissioner Wood, seconded by Vice President Campbell

Vote: Unanimously carried

CONSENT CALENDAR CHARITABLE SOLICITATION

Los Angeles Thoracic & Cardiovascular Foundation (2 Applications)
Good Samaritan Hospital
1225 Wilshire Blvd., #775
Los Angeles

ACTION TAKEN: Information cards to be issued.

Motion: Commissioner Wood, seconded by Vice President Campbell

Vote: Unanimously carried

PUBLIC COMMENTS: There were none.

MATTERS NOT ON POSTED AGENDA (TO BE PRESENTED AND PLACED ON THE AGENDA FOR ACTION AT A FUTURE MEETING): There were none.

COMMISSIONER COMMENT: There was none.

**PUBLIC HEARING ON RECOMMENDATION TO DENY FOOD ESTABLISHMENT
LICENSE NO. 0654-110683**

Jose's Meat Market
4501 E. Whittier Blvd. #C
Los Angeles First District

Steve Jimenez, Treasurer-Tax, reported on a March 30, 2003 incident in which the Sheriff's Department cited the business for sale of alcohol to a minor. Allison Mella, attorney for the applicant, discussed the incident, noting that the business's employees had been informed of their duty not to sell alcohol to minors.

ACTION TAKEN: The Commission rejected the recommendation to deny the above license subject to the following conditions:

- (1) The business owners complete the GAIN program within six months;
- (2) The six other cashiers complete the program within a year;
- (3) The owners re-post within 90 days the ABC signage concerning the sale of alcohol to minors in both Spanish and English.

Motion: President Afriat, seconded by Vice President Campbell

Vote: Unanimously carried

RECOMMENDATION TO DENY MOTOR VEHICLE REPAIR LICENSE #129011

Patterson Auto Service Center
10000 S. Budlong Avenue
Los Angeles Second District

ACTION TAKEN: The Commission continued the matter to the next meeting.

Motion: Vice President Campbell, seconded by President Afriat

Vote: Unanimously carried

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The Commission was informed that Regional Planning wouldn't be available to report on the above matter at next week's hearing.

ACTION TAKEN: The Commission continued the hearing to April 21, 2004.

Motion: Vice President Campbell, seconded by President Afriat

Vote: Unanimously carried

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 9:26 a.m.

Steven Afriat
President